

MODERN HISTORY AND ANCIENT MYSTERY IN THE LAND OF ISRAEL

MONTHLY SEMINARS TO EXPLORE
THE VIEWS, VALUES, COMMUNITIES &
CULTURE OF "THE HOLY LAND"
TODAY. EXPERIENCE GRACE, GRIEF,
GOODNESS & GLORY. GRAPPLE WITH
ISSUES & GATHER INSIGHT. SEE
SCRIPTURE PLAY OUT IN REAL TIME.

Lead Teacher & Facilitator
Israeli Archeologist & Guide:
DR YOSSI PAZ

with local leaders from all sectors
of faiths & society in Israel/Palestine.

Host: **PASTOR BRONWYN SPILSBURY**
Come to one, some, or all!

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Israel as a Cultural Mosaic: Feb. 20, 10:00AM-12:00PM PST

What defines the Israeli Cultural Mosaic?
Problems of Identity in the Holy Land

Religions of the Holy Land: Myth and History
Jerusalem: 3 holy sites, 1 sacred city
Wailing Wall, Temple Mount, Church of the Holy Sepulchre

Spotlight: Jewish Messianism
"The Holy City from an American Perspective"

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Ancient Faith in a Modern State: March 20, 10:00AM-12:00PM PST

Introduction to basic Hebrew, the mother tongue of Biblical Prophets
and of the formal language of Israel. The Hebrew words we all use, and their meanings.

Spotlight: Orthodox Judaism
The Jewish Ultraorthodox Community in Israel- a virtual tour.
The city of Safed, capital of the Kabbalah and Jewish mysticism- a virtual tour.

Jewish mysticism and Israeli culture

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Flavours of Mediterranean Life: April 17, 10:00AM-12:00PM PST

Foods and Markets of Israeli cuisine
Tour the Tel Aviv Food Market with local cooks and a food expert.

Spotlight: Israeli cuisine workshop

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Muslim Culture in Israel: May 15, 10:00AM-12:00PM PST

Israeli Muslims, problems of identity
Tour of the Arab parts of Jaffa & discussion

Spotlight: poetry and mystery - the mystic side of Islam
Visit a Muslim Sufi Centre

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The Cultural Peace Process: June 19, 10:00AM-12:00PM PST

The Israeli-Arab Conflict

Spotlight: Hopes & fears in Palestinian society

Bethlehem, birthplace of Jesus, a virtual visit with local interaction.

Spotlight: Christians as Peacemakers

Seeds of Peace - The Christian Community Centre in Jericho.

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Modern Israel, a Start-up Nation: July 17, 10:00AM-12:00PM PST

Modern Israel and Modern Israelis

Chutzpah, Innovation & High-Technology- video & discussion

Spotlight: "Never Again" - The secret of Israeli energy.

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Cultural Interaction: Aug. 21, 10:00AM-12:00PM PST

Tour Tel Aviv - capital of modern Israeli culture

Cultural communication as a tool to resolve political conflict

Spotlight: From Military to University

A personal story of Israeli millennials

Summary & Conclusion

Lessons we take from Israel & an Interactive session with live discussion.

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Program and dates subject to change

Now that you're here, I'd love to hear ...

Learning is a dialogue, so please share your thoughts, questions and **your journey**.

What drew you to this course? What featured **spotlight** interests you most?

If you could **choose a further topic**, what would it be?

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